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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claims 1-4 (canceled).

Claim 5 (previously presented): A laminated coil component comprising:
a coil conductor including a plurality of strip electrodes and via-holes for connecting predetermined ends of the strip electrodes inside a ceramic laminate;
wherein

an axis of the coil conductor corresponds with a width direction of the ceramic laminate, which is substantially perpendicular to both a thickness direction and a length direction of the ceramic laminate.

Claim 6 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 5, wherein the laminated coil component further comprises external electrodes disposed at end regions in the length direction on a main surface in the lamination direction of the ceramic laminate and connected to the ends of the coil conductor.

Claim 7 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 6, wherein the external electrodes cover regions where the via-holes are arranged.

Claim 8 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 6, wherein the external electrodes are spaced from edges of the main surface of the ceramic laminate.

Claim 9 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim

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5, wherein the via-holes are filled with a conductive material.

Claim 10 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 9, wherein the conductive material is Ag paste.

Claim 11 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 6, wherein the external electrodes include a Ni base layer and an Au layer disposed on the Ni base layer.

Claim 12 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 6, wherein the external electrodes include a Ni base layer and a Sn layer disposed on the Ni base layer.

Claim 13 (withdrawn): The laminated coil component according to claim 6, wherein the external electrodes include a pair of top electrodes spaced apart from one another on a main surface of the ceramic laminate and a bottom electrode disposed directly below the top electrodes in the ceramic laminate.

Claim 14 (previously presented): The laminated coil component according to claim 5, wherein coil conductor is spiral-shaped.

Claims 15-19 (canceled).